

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 JAKART 12476 110203Z

21

ACTION EA-09

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 IO-10 ISO-00 CIAE-00 PM-04 H-02 INR-07

L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-01 PRS-01 SP-02 SS-15 USIA-06

SAM-01 /079 W

----- 075965

R 110030Z OCT 75

FM AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 0715

INFO DIA WASHDC

AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

AMEMBASSY LISBON

AMEMBASSY MANILA

AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON

AMCONSUL MEDAN

AMCONSUL SURABAYA

USMISSION USUN NEW YORK

CINCPAC

CINCPACFLT

FOSIF WESTPAC

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE JAKARTA 12476

CINCPAC ALSO FOR POLAD

EO 11652: NA

TAGS: PFOR PINS ID PO PT AS

SUBJECT: INDONESIAN PRESS ON PORTUGUESE TIMOR (PT)
DEVELOPMENTS

REF: JAKARTA 12275 (030900Z OCT 75)

1. INDONESIAN PRESS, WHICH RESUMED PUBLICATION OCT. 8

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 JAKART 12476 110203Z

FOLLOWING LONG MOSLEM HOLIDAY WEEKEND, CONTINUES PREVIOUS

CONCENTRATION ON PT REFUGEE PROBLEM, ADVANCES BY ANTI-FRETILIN FORCES IN TIMOR, AND STATEMENTS OF SUPPORT FOR GOI POLICY BY STUDENTS AND OTHER GROUPS.

2. SIGNAL EVENT OF WEEK, APODETI/ANTI COMMUNIST MOVEMENT (ACM) RETAKING OF BATUGADE TOWN NEAR INDONESIAN BORDER, TREATED BY INDONESIAN PRESS AS PURELY TIMORESE AFFAIR WITH ACCENT ON STATEMENT BY ACM LEADER THAT ATTACK "MARKS BEGINNING OF LIBERATION OF EAST TIMOR." GOI AND APODETI/ACM OFFICIALS QUOTED DENYING INDONESIAN MILITARY ROLE IN TRAINING ANTI-FRETILIN FORCES AND FRETILIM-SOURCED REPORTS IN FOREIGN PRESS OF INDONESIAN INVOLVEMENT IN BATUGADE OFFENSIVE.

3. AP JAKARTA REP. TOLD POLCOUNS HIS TIMOR STRINGER HAD REPORTED RAISING OF INDONESIAN FLAG BY ANTI-FRETILIN TROOPS IN BATUGADE AND OTHER LIBERATED LOCATIONS.

4. GOVERNMENT-CONNECTED NEW STANDARD OCT. 10 REPORTS CAPTURE BY APODETI FORCES OF CHINESE-MADE MORTAR, WHICH CITED AS CONFIRMATION THAT FRETILIN FORCES RECEIVING ARMS SUPPLIES FROM ABROAD.

5. INDONESIAN BALI-NUSATENGARA MILITARY DISTRICT COMMANDER QUOTED IN LEADING DAILY KOMPAS OCT. 8 STATING SEVEN FRETILIN TROOPS KILLED, ELEVEN CAPTURED AND EIGHT WEAPONS SEIZED BY INDONESIAN FORCES IN BORDER CLASHES PREVIOUS WEEK.

6. STATEMENT BY MALAYSIAN HOME AFFAIRS MINISTER GAZALI SHAFIE IN INTERVIEW WITH INDONESIAN STATE NEWS AGENCY ANTARA AGREEING THAT PT INSTABILITY THREATENS SEA SECURITY AND SUPPORTING INDONESIAN POLICY ON TIMOR RECEIVED HEAVY COVERAGE OCT. 10.
NEWSOM

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: PRESS COMMENTS, REFUGEES, POLITICAL SITUATION
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 11 OCT 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: buchantr
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975JAKART12476
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750354-0343
From: JAKARTA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19751060/aaaacbbj.tel
Line Count: 96
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION EA
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 75 JAKARTA 12275
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: buchantr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 16 JUN 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <16 JUN 2003 by ElyME>; APPROVED <21 OCT 2003 by buchantr>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
06 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: INDONESIAN PRESS ON PORTUGUESE TIMOR (PT) DEVELOPMENTS
TAGS: PFOR, PINS, ID, PO, PT, AS
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 06 JUL 2006